

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON AT SEATTLE**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

NO. CR11-18-RSM

Plaintiff,

v.

DETENTION ORDER

LESTER DANE BLANTON,

Defendant.

Offenses charged:

Counts 1&3: Possession with Intent to Distribute Methamphetamine, in violation of 21 U.S.C. §§ 841(a)(1), 841(b)(1)(A) and 846

Count 2: Possession with Intent to Distribute Crack Cocaine, in violation of 21 U.S.C. §§ 841(a)(1), 841(b)(1)(B) and 18 U.S.C. § 2

Count 4: Felon in Possession of Firearm, in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 922(g)(1)

Date of Detention Hearing: February 16, 2011

The Court, having conducted a detention hearing pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3142(f), and based upon the factual findings and statement of reasons for detention hereafter set forth, finds:

FINDINGS OF FACT AND STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR DETENTION

1. Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3142(e), there is a rebuttable presumption that defendant is a flight risk and a danger to the community based on the nature of the pending charges. Application of the presumption is appropriate in this case.

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